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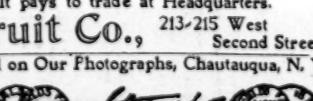
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HOTEL LINDSAY—A new up-to-date Hotel. Hot and cold water in every room, elevator and electric lights. Best accommodations for the money in the city. American and European plan. Main street, opposite Postoffice, Los Angeles, Cal.

THE BELLEVUE TERRACE—(6th and Figueroa) is now open for business and inspection of rooms. It is lighted by electricity, steam heated, newly papered, painted and entirely furnished. It is managed now by one a warm personal greeting.

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DOUBLE HANGING.

Ex-Chief of Police Jacks of Muskegon and John Druggan.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT]

CHICAGO, Oct. 14.—George H. Jacks, formerly Chief of Police, Muskegon, Mich., and John Druggan, both convicted murderers, were hanged on the same scaffold in the County Jail this afternoon. Some time before the hanging Jacks sent the following letter to the jailer:

"Mr. Whitman—My Dear Sir: Please do not let any of the clergy in to see me. If I, an innocent man, be hanged today, without the right to have the highest legal defense, I am lost."

Jack's case was complicated by the murder of George J. McGhee, an aged collector, whom he assisted by William J. Williams, now serving fourteen years for complicity in the crime, decoyed into an apartment-house on Indiana avenue for the purpose of robbery. Jacks had been a member of the gang. Druggan was convicted of the murder of Robert Gudgeon, a saloon-keeper, whom he attempted to rob.

"Yours,
GEORGE H. JACKS."

This request was complied with.

THEIR GUEST.

St. Louis People Welcome the President.

City Where He Was Nominated Greets Him Warmly.

He Reviews a Parade and Holds a Reception.

IMMENSE CROWD HEARS HIM.

Twenty Thousand People Fill the Great Coliseum.

Twice as Many are Unable to Obtain Admission.

Though Tired With Travel He Makes a Strong Talk.

THE FINANCES OF THE NATION.

Addresses a Large Crowd at the Merchants' Exchange—Elaborate Luncheon and a Drive Through the West End.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 14.—President McKinley was today the guest of St. Louis, the city in which two years ago, he received the nomination to his present high office. He came from Omaha by way of Galesburg, Ill., and was brought into the city at 9:15 a.m., being preceded from Spanish Lake by a special train carrying the local reception committee.

From the time of his arrival until 11 p.m., when the President left the city, he was accorded an almost continuous ovation. Escorted to the Southern Hotel by civic bodies and regular and volunteer troops, the President was met by the cheers of thousands of people, lining both sides of the thoroughfares through which he passed. At the Southern Hotel he stopped and reviewed the parade given in his honor, and later held a reception in the parlors. There he met many prominent St. Louisans.

At noon the Chief Executive addressed a large crowd on the floor of the Merchants' Exchange, and afterward sat down to an elaborate luncheon, at which seventy-five persons were present. A drive through the fashionable west end streets and parks of the city completed the daylight programme of entertainment.

THE PARADE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 14.—The Presidential train came into St. Louis soon after 9 o'clock this morning. The President breakfasted just as the "flyer" was speeding across the Missouri River. He expressed delight at the continuance of the marvelously beautiful weather. At Spanish Lake, about fifteen miles from here, a reception committee of St. Louis citizens boarded the train to welcome the President. Mr. McKinley walked through the car where the members of the committee were seated, and gave to each one a warm personal greeting.

The President looks very tired, after the trying ordeal of the last four days. He said to Gen. Shafter at Galesburg, when the general inquired about his health: "Well, general, I am wearing myself out by this continued outdoor speaking, but I am standing it very well under the circumstances, I think."

At the Union Station, when the Presidential train backed in there was a terrific jamb of the enthusiastic crowd, anxious to see the Chief Executive.

The members of the General Reception Committee, who had preceded the Presidential train on a Burlington special, lined up, and when President McKinley stepped from his car he was immediately escorted by them to the Twenty-sixth-street entrance of the Union Depot, and placed in a carriage. The Twelfth United States Infantry was drawn up on the north side of Market street, facing the station and extending along its entire length.

When the President's carriage was wheeled into Market street, the veterans of Santiago presented arms, and the immense throng that lined both sides of the thoroughfare broke into cheers. Hats and handkerchiefs were waved, and the President was kept busy responding to the noisy welcome.

Carriages containing other members of the Presidential party, and the reception committee, fell in behind in a common cause, and thus rejoice in a common victory.

"We must give this restored union with zealous and sacred care, and while advancing the settlements of the war and meeting the problems which will follow we must stand as one man, not in the spirit of party, and unite in a common effort for that which will give to the nation its highest and most permanent prosperity."

McKinley stepped from his car and went to the platform, where the band struck up the national anthem.

He then addressed the crowd in a speech which he had prepared for the occasion.

"The address was delivered in a clear, distinct voice, and was received with great interest by the audience."

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"EQUITIES" IS GOOD!

SPANISH PEACE COMMISSION HAS GREAT GALL.

They Conserve the Protocol to Mean That This Country Will Assume the Cuban Debt.

AMERICANS GET BACK AT 'EM.

BLOWING-UP OF THE MAINE SOMETHING OF AN "EQUITY."

Shafter Tells Why He Landed at Balquidir—That Cuban Debt—The Obdam Scandal—Dr. Seaman Testifies.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

PARIS, Oct. 14.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The session of the Peace Commissioners today was two hours longer than any previous one. The American reply to the Spanish presentation of Tuesday was submitted and read. An oral discussion followed, occupying the time until about 6:10 o'clock, when the commissions adjourned until Monday next.

It is believed that the Spaniards submitted that it was just to consider Spain as having equities fairly dischargeable by the American assumption of Cuban obligations. It is not unlikely that the Americans voiced the conviction that fair equities to the United States, in war expenses, were incurred by the United States, and possibly, though not positively, the Americans may concede the values of the battlefields. Mainly among the expenditures possible of classification against the so-called Cuban debt.

However, it may be considered certain that the commissions have arrived at a point in the negotiations from which henceforth the joint sessions will be occupied by oral discussions, as well as by written presentations of propositions. The work is now thoroughly prepared, though it is not likely that any segment has been prepared and finished for a place in the final treaty.

POWDER FOR MANILA.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] **SANTA CRUZ, Oct. 14.—Five carloads of brown powder were today shipped to Manila from the powder works here.**

AT THE PRESIDIO.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] **SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 14.—Col. Middlebrooks has finally decided upon the Presidio Reservation as the site for the new military hospital and the selection has been approved by Gen. Merriam. It will be located near the present post hospital.**

GOING MONDAY.

California Troops Cannot Get Off Earlier.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 14.—The troops to go to Manila have been officially assigned. They include the Third Battalion of the Washington regiment, composed of Cos. D, F, G, I and L, under Lieut.-Col. Fife, which have been stationed at Angel Island, and portions of Batteries A and D of the Heavy Artillery. With the assistant surgeons and members of the hospital corps, the Valencia will carry 500 men.

The troops will in all probability go on the transports on Monday, and the Senator and the Valencia will sail together. The Ohio and Indiana will be ready the last of the week, and the Newark the end of the month.

It is generally conceded that Gen. Miller and his headquarters, with a battalion possibly from the Tennessee Regiment will sail on the Newport. The Pennsylvania and Rio de Janeiro are expected to arrive any day, and only a few other vessels will be required to move all the troops ordered to the Philippines.

MARSHAL WALLACE'S SON.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] **SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 14.—Private Harry Wallace of the Seventh California Regiment is dying of spinal meningitis at the Presidio Military Hospital. In the course of his City Marshal of Redlands, who visited the city today, but the young man was unconscious and did not recognize his father.**

MEADORS MURDER TRIAL.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] **OAKLAND, Oct. 14.—Several witnesses, including Capt. Barnes, Co. C, Eighth California Volunteers, testified today in the Meadors murder trial, but no new evidence was developed, and the case was continued until next Tuesday.**

THE INVESTIGATION.

Dr. Seaman Complains About Commissary Supplies.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—Dr. Louis S. Seaman was the principal witness before the War Investigation Commission today. He complained that the commissary supplies furnished the troops in Porto Rico were unsuited to the demands of a tropical climate, and that they were especially unfit for hospital use. Lieut. Hill of the navy was also a witness. He was in charge of the landing of the army at Santiago, and told the story of that exploit.

The commission will devote tomorrow to preparation for its southern tour, and will hold no session.

Dr. Seaman said he had never seen any military service before the beginning of the present war, but he had studied at Princeton and afterward in London, Berlin and Paris. After joining the service, and before going to Porto Rico, he was stationed with his regiment at Camp Tompkins. There his requisitions were promptly filled, and no request went to the front before prepared to cope with disease or casualty. The command sailed south on the Chester, and there was no serious sickness going on.

Dr. Seaman said he was in Porto Rico, Dr. Seaman said there had been universal complaint at the hospital of a deficiency of suitable supply. He had been told repeatedly that the 60-cent-a-day ration for the sick could not be furnished in Porto Rico. It was not even furnished in the General Military Hospital. He said in reply to a question that he did not know that the commissary at Ponce had on hand a quarter of a million dollars, or any other sum for supplying delicacies to the sick, he only knew that they were not supplied. When he left in Porto Rico the hospitals were over crowded, the beds being within six inches of each other. When he left, there were between 3000 and 4000 sick out of an army of 10,000.

Dr. Seaman grew somewhat irascible under Dr. Connor's questioning,

and finally refused to answer. He said: "The questions put to me are of a character calculated to place me in the false position of accusing the medical department of the army of maladministration. That is not the case. I regard the conduct of this department by Dr. Sternberg as above reproach, and whatever fault there was in another department."

After some pretty sharp cross-firing, Dr. Connor declared he would ask no more questions of the witness. Gov. Beaver told the witness that no questions would be put to him that was not proper, but he (Gov. Beaver) would insist upon his answering, and if he did not do so, he must take the consequences.

Gov. Beaver then asked as to the conduct of the quartermaster's serving him with him or in his vicinity. Dr. Seaman declined to answer, saying he would not do so without being compelled to appear before the War Department after getting through with this board, and, "he said, "I do not want to criticize my superior officers while the shoulder straps of an army of officers."

Lieut. K. Hill, an officer of the warship Iowa, when the army landed near Santiago, and in charge of the debarkation of the troops at Balquidir, had not provided eleven small boats and fifty-two small boats for the landing. The army brought only one lighter. The army was entirely unprepared to land, and Lieut. Hill was unable to land and unable to subdue after the landing without the aid of the navy.

COMMANDER BRADFORD
Examined on Philippine Matters
by the Peace Commission.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] **PARIS, Oct. 14.—[By Atlantic Cable.]** Commander Bradford, U.S.N., who has arrived here from Washington, was examined this morning by the members of the United States Peace Commission, relative to the condition prevailing, and the main features of interest in the Philippine Islands, which Lieut.-Commander Iswell is acquainted with.

The fifth joint session of the two commissions was convened at 2 o'clock today. It may be said that the first, second and third meeting scarcely penetrated the surface of any protocol point, and less still the marrow. Last Tuesday, however, marked the Spanish presence in the region of the Gulf of Guinea, which has during recess,rought the Americans to serious preparations, to adjustment of their diplomatic forces, and to the formulation of a plan upon which they may ultimately stand in relation to the Cuban problem.

It is unlikely that since Tuesday's meeting the Americans who have been exceedingly busy, have determined upon an attitude toward the Spanish proposal that the United States assume the Cuban debt in whole or part, and be charged with the responsibility of the so-called Cuban debt.

Last Tuesday, however, should not be drawn from the fact of this careful weighing of the Spanish proposal by the Americans, that they accepted the alternative classification of the Cuban obligation, but rather that they are acting on a line and purpose to meet every point raised as exhaustively as presented. They have thoroughly traversed the Cuban debt views, and proposals submitted in writing by the Spanish on Tuesday.

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LIEUT. BRYAND'S LETTER.

Indignantly Denies Sensational Newspaper Statements.

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Instead of going as a benedict with a bride, amid showers of rice and flying slippers, he left alone with only a male friend or two to see him off.****Williams's friends here—he still has some—say that he will never return to San Francisco nor present himself before Miss Goad until he has a clean bill of health to show. Just how he is going to get this germ-proof document no one seems to know, but Williams is said to have plans of his own. At any rate he could do nothing here, and so he has gone where people know him better. His friends here say that he is too honorable a man to seek to alter Miss Goad's decision until he can ask her to change her mind with a clear conscience.****There is a rumor on the street that Williams's departure had been hastened by threats of violence made by the friends of Miss Goad, but this is authoritatively denied. There has been some war talk, of course, some chatter about tar and feathers, but this is not the resort of gentlemen. A far more effective weapon is social ostracism, and this has already been resorted to in the fullest measure.****Williams's few remaining friends gathered in the Crocker building to tell him good-by, and to regret that his memories of San Francisco would be so unhappy. Then the man with a past slipped across the bay, disappeared within his drawing-room, and, locking the door, remained in seclusion until the train had left the mole.****There was a wild rumor today that Miss Goad was packing her trunks and intended either to elope with Williams or to follow him East, but this was absolutely without foundation. Miss Goad was quietly at home and expected to remain there. Later she may seek consolation in travel, but for the present the settlement of her father's estate requires her attention.****Mr. Wiltsie, who knew Williams in South Africa, and accepted him at his face value as a good fellow and an interesting companion, denies that he has broken his friendship with Williams. 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The Grand Lodge then adjourned.****MASONIC DONATION.****Twenty-seven thousand dollars for the Decoto Home.****(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)****SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 14.—The Masonic Grand Lodge today donated \$200 for running expenses of the Boys and Orphans' Home at Decoto, and \$700 for furnishing the building.****The annual election of officers resulted as follows: Grand Master, F. M. Angelotti of San Rafael; Deputy Grand Master, Charles L. Allen of San Francisco; Senior Grand Warden, James A. Foshay of Los Angeles; Junior Grand Warden,****PERIODS OF PAIN.****Menstruation, the balance wheel of woman's life, is also the bane of existence to many because it means a time of great suffering.****While no woman is entirely free from periodical pain, it does not seem to have been natural.****Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the most thorough female regulator known to medical science.****It relieves the condition that produces so much discomfort and robs menstruation of its horrors. Here is proof:****DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—How can I thank you enough for what you have done for me? When I wrote to you I was suffering untold pain at time of menstruation; was nervous, had headache all the time, no appetite, that tired and did not care for anything.****I have taken three bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, one of Blood Purifier, two boxes of Liver Pills and to-day I am a well person.****I would like to have those who suffer know that I am one of the many who have been cured of female complaints by your wonderful medicine and advice.****—MISS JENNIE R. MILES, Leon, Wis.****If you are suffering in this way, write****as Miss Miles did to Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., for the advice which she offers free of charge to all women.****(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) 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Signed this 15th day of October, 1898.
HARRY CHANDLER.

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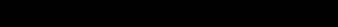
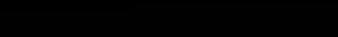
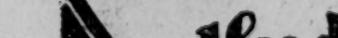
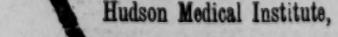
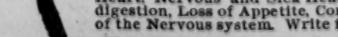
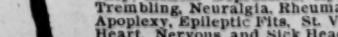
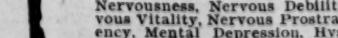
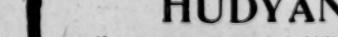
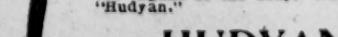
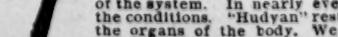
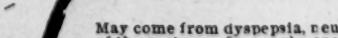
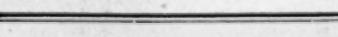
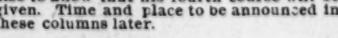
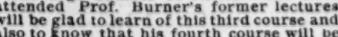
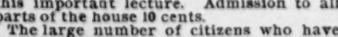
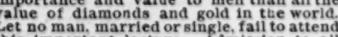
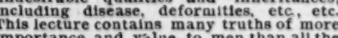
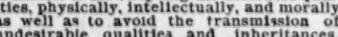
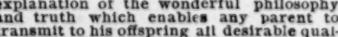
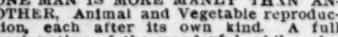
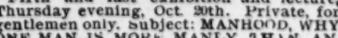
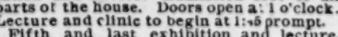
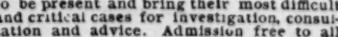
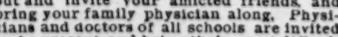
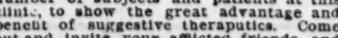
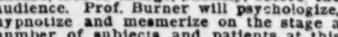
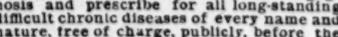
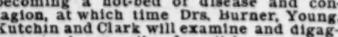
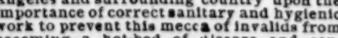
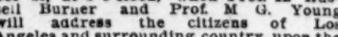
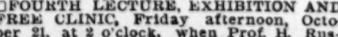
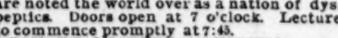
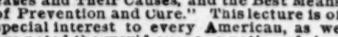
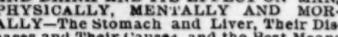
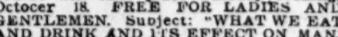
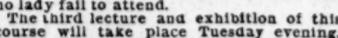
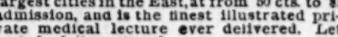
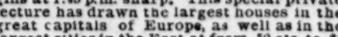
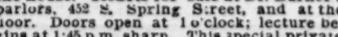
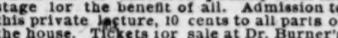
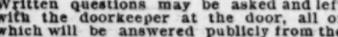
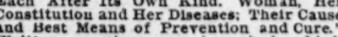
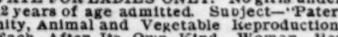
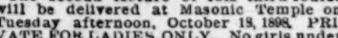
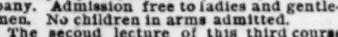
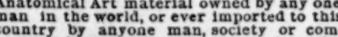
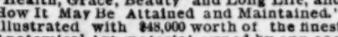
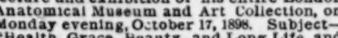
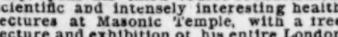
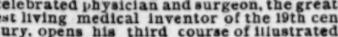
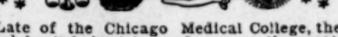
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GOV. TANNER'S ACTION.

The action of Gov. Tanner of Illinois in instructing the militia to prevent the landing of colored miners on the property of the Chicago-Virden Company, is an unprecedented proceeding, which is likely to be reviewed by the highest courts in the land before we hear the last of the matter. Manager Lukens, of the mining company, designedly made a test case by attempting to land the men on Thursday, afterward protesting against the action of the militia in preventing their landing. It is to be hoped that the case will be carried to the court of last resort, for it is of the first importance that the principle involved should receive consideration at the hands of the very highest judicial authority in the land.

The action of the Governor in giving such instructions as he did to the militia appears to have been arbitrary and unwarranted by law. It does not appear that the mining company had violated any law of the State or of the nation. They had an undoubted right to employ men outside of Virden to do their work, and to bring those men into the town for the purpose as they saw fit. The fact that the men were colored men has nothing to do with the case. Colored men have the same rights in this free country—or should have the same rights—as white men. If there is authority for the Governor's action in any law, State or national, the fact does not appear upon the surface. Rather does it appear that the Governor of Illinois is himself a violator of the law and of the Constitution, which guarantees equal rights to all.

The fact that armed rioters were on hand to shoot down the colored miners if they were allowed to land, is no argument in extenuation of the Governor's order. Is such was the situation, it was the business of Gov. Tanner to see that the rioters were dispersed, and that they were prevented from interfering in any manner with the landing of the colored men. The rioters were the real violators of the law. They had no right, either moral or legal, to prevent the landing of men to take the places of the strikers. The protection of the troops should have been given to the men who were not violating the law, and should have been withheld from the men who were gathered with the avowed intention of violating the law.

Gov. Tanner, by his unwarranted attitude and action, has done much to incite the strikers to violence, and if there be further bloodshed, as seems probable, he will be largely responsible for it. So long as the mining company keeps within its legal rights, it is entitled to full protection from the civil authorities, and from the military authorities in case the civil authorities are unable to afford such protection. It is plain that Gov. Tanner has wilfully neglected his duty in this matter; and not only has he neglected his duty, but he has in effect incited the strikers to further violence by giving them to understand that he will make common cause with them in their avowed determination to violate the law in preventing the landing of laborers who are legally brought to Virden.

All this is aside from the issue between the strikers and their employers. In that immediate controversy, right and justice may be wholly on the side of the strikers. This is another question entirely, and need not be discussed in connection with the issues raised by Gov. Tanner's action. It has no connection whatever with that action. The Governor of Illinois is not called upon to arbitrate as between the mining company and its employees; nor is he called upon to decide whether that company shall employ colored men or white men to dig its coal; nor has he a right to say whether the company's employees shall be residents of Illinois or of some other State.

It is interesting to note, in connection with the military plot against the government, just discovered in Paris, that Victor Napoleon has recently abdicated in favor of his younger and more ambitious brother, Louis, as leader of the Bonapartists. Stranger things have happened than that another political upheaval should leave after it a throne with a Bonaparte upon it.

guess. It can, however, be stated that we enter the season of 1898-9 with prospects for a bountiful revenue from our leading horticultural crop, even exceeding the prospects at the same time last year, which were more than realized.

"ANDY" FRANCISCO.

There passed away yesterday morning in the solitude of his bed chamber one of the best and noblest gentlemen in the State of California. Andy W. Francisco was an honest man, a good citizen, an exemplary husband and one of the best fathers that a family of boys and girls ever had. He was true to himself and to those about him. His nobility of character was unquestioned, and few men possessed more of that unexplainable quality of "lovable ness" than did the man whose gentle spirit has just winged its flight to the better country.

Andy Francisco was a famous character for forty years in the journalism of the State of Ohio, and when he came to California, the old yearning for the profession brought him into connection with THE TIMES, an ownership and active service which, however, engaged his attention for but a short time. But it was long enough for his associates to learn to admire his excellent judgment, his steady poise of character, his rugged honesty and his unvarying cheerfulness, courtesy, manliness and savoir faire.

"Andy" to his friends and associates was known as the "Little Giant" in his old home in Ohio, and the soubriquet was fittingly bestowed.

Though diminutive in physical proportions, he was great in sterling worth as a man—a very colossus of nobility and that character which is priceless beyond rubies. Wherever placed, in public or in private life, no one ever had to question as to where "Andy" Francisco could be found, for he was always for the right, as true as the needle to the pole. In his death, the city and the State has sustained a distinct loss, and his family and his friends have met with bereavement that is pathetic. A loyal, faithful public servant, a gentle and considerate friend, has stepped out of the busy world; but there is left behind him the benediction of kindly deeds, of thoughtfulness of others, that shall be a lasting remembrance to the living. And so brave, lovable, loyal "Andy" Francisco, hail and farewell!

TWO KINDS OF TRUSTS.

It is a common thing for the labor unions to declaim loudly against the aggression of trusts. It was recently announced that the unions were preparing to test the strength of the trusts, recently formed in the glassware and flint-bottle trades. Yet, it is a fact that the labor organizations themselves are trusts of the most despotic character, going to extremes which would never be dreamed of by the organizers of commercial combinations.

On this subject the New York Commercial recently had the following sensible remarks:

"Tell a workingman that he has no right to join with his fellows to restrict the supply of labor and raise the price thereof, and he will probably, if he is a union man and hot tempered, do you physical violence; tell him his employer has no right to combine with other employers to restrict the output of goods and raise prices thereon, and he will agree with you. Yet labor unions are trusts; some of them, indeed, are trusts so tight that the Standard Oil Company, for instance, is very loosely bound in comparison. It's pretty hard for an independent oil refiner to do business when the Standard gets after him; it's absolutely impossible for a window or plate-glass blower to do certain things if the union forbids. He cannot work except for a certain number of hours a day and a certain number of days a year, and for a certain amount of pay. He cannot teach his own son his trade without the permission of the union, and an attempt to go contrary to the organization's rules puts him permanently out of the business."

The survey of the citrus fruit prospects just completed has embraced a careful inquiry into the prospects of each locality, big and little. The largest orange-producing section, Riverside, which last year shipped 4200 carloads of citrus fruit, will during the next season, according to all authorities, not send out to exceed 3000 carloads, showing a deficiency of 1200 carloads. Redlands will fall back 400 carloads, and Colton 100 carloads. It does not appear that any other locality will show a shortage, though it is generally the case that the increased size of the trees, and consequent greater power of production, will be required to offset a falling off in the yield of late varieties and seedlings. The only exceptions to this general condition appear to be Ontario and Covina, where there are heavy crops, probably reducing the deficiency in other localities to 1500 carloads.

Lemon trees throughout Southern California appear to be in a thrifty condition. By November 1, or soon after, the output of the fruit will once more have reached about normal quantity, the trees now bearing large quantities of fruit from bloom which came after the winter frosts. It is fortunate circumstance that the trees have not been blooming heavily during the past few months, this presages a reservation of the productive power of the trees for summer lemons, which command a better price than winter fruit.

That the lemon yield of 1898-9 will be a surprise to many people now seems certain. Most of the trees are from five to seven years of age, a period when the percentage of increase in production is the heaviest. It would not be at all surprising if at such ages the trees would show an increase in normal yield in one year of 50 per cent, and remembering that the normal yield of last season would have been about 2200 carloads, there seems to be no reason, apart from unpropitious weather, why Southern California should not, during the coming season, ship 3000 carloads or more with its 13,400 cars of oranges, making a total output of citrus fruits of 16,400 carloads.

Notwithstanding that this estimate is based on facts ascertained by careful investigations, the above figures are given with considerable reservation. It is not an easy matter to estimate the amount of oranges on the trees. Moreover, it is not possible to see climatic influences in advance. The drouth is an element which also enters into the problem. In case rains come before December 1, it is not believed that the orange or lemon crop will suffer from the lack of moisture. For many reasons it is thus apparent that an estimate of the citrus fruit yield in advance cannot be taken more seriously than as a more or less shrewd

guess. It is probably because Chinese cannot be written with a typewriter that we have not received any statement from the Emperor of China assuring us positively whether he is living or dead.

It is interesting to note, in connection with the military plot against the government, just discovered in Paris, that Victor Napoleon has recently abdicated in favor of his younger and more ambitious brother, Louis, as leader of the Bonapartists. Stranger things have happened than that another political upheaval should leave after it a throne with a Bonaparte upon it.

REVISION OF THE CONSTITUTION.

The Legislature of 1897 recommended a vote of the people of California at the ensuing election upon the question whether a convention shall be called for the purpose of revising the State Constitution. In the opinion of the San Francisco Law Journal, no proclamation by the Governor is required to give effect to this recommendation, as in the case of proposed constitutional amendments. The ballots to be used on election day will, presumably, make provision for the vote on this question. The matter is of much importance and voters should be prepared to express their opinion by voting intelligently on the question.

The present State Constitution is deplorably weak and defective and is much in need of thorough, wise and intelligent revision. It contains a vast amount of matter which should either be expunged entirely, or transferred from the organic law to the statutes. Some of its provisions are in the nature of special legislation, which has no proper place upon the statute books even, to say nothing of its being imbedded in the fundamental law. The ear-marks of Denis Kearney and his gang of sandal-state men are apparent all through this instrument, which does duty as the State Constitution of California.

The proposition for a convention to revise the State Constitution should carry by an overwhelming majority of the popular vote. And if the people decide in favor of revision, they should see to it that those who are commissioned to perform the work are thoroughly qualified for the grave duties which will be required of them. The constitution is the fundamental law of the State, which underlies and determines all other law. It is the supreme authority in the Commonwealth. Its importance and authority being thus of a superlative character, it follows, as a logical and unavoidable conclusion, that the very best talent and the highest qualities of citizenship should be brought to bear upon the work of revision. Let us, by all means, have a new State Constitution; and let it be a constitution adequate to our needs and worthy in every respect of the great Commonwealth of which we are proud to be citizens.

The Republicans of Los Angeles, having presented the very best ticket ever set before the voters of the county for their support, they have a right to expect such a majority as has never before been received by a list of county candidates in the State of California. Every man on that list deserves to be elected, and every one will be if Republicans do their duty.

Two Kinds of Trusts.

It is a common thing for the labor unions to declaim loudly against the aggression of trusts. It was recently announced that the unions were preparing to test the strength of the trusts, recently formed in the glassware and flint-bottle trades. Yet, it is a fact that the labor organizations themselves are trusts of the most despotic character, going to extremes which would never be dreamed of by the organizers of commercial combinations.

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It must be admitted that Gen. Shafter makes a very vigorous defense of his action in landing at Balquidir instead of Aguadore.

"The Indians no longer resort to scalping," remarks an exchange. No, the ticket-brokers have monopolized that business.

No, the least joyful thing about a kinetoscopic prize fight is the fact that one cannot hear the pugilists using language.

The United States navy will never be completed until the big battleship California shall have been launched.

William Lager is a candidate for the Legislature in Minnesota. Lager has long had a large constituency.

Gen. Joe Wheeler was much braver in war than on the witness stand.

LETTERS TO THE TIMES.

The Times freely publishes the views of correspondents and guests, without holding itself responsible for opinions thus expressed. Letters should be brief, plainly written, clear in statement and properly worded. No attention is paid to anonymous letters, and none are published unless the author's name is given. A letter of 250 words, on the average, is sufficient for the expression of an idea. When the contributions are too long for insertion in full, extracts will be printed.

Yellow Journalism to Blame.

S. Ontario: I remember in 1882, it was reported that McClellan lost 30,000 men from fever during the peninsular campaign, and was then obliged to retreat. In October of the same year the regiment of which I was a member lost 100 men from typhoid fever in six weeks. During the month preceding the battles of Lookout and Mission Ridge, when Grant was opening communications with Rosecrans's beleaguered army at Chattanooga, our command lived on quarter rations. I have heard the statement that more soldiers were sick in 1882 than all the men enlisted for the war with Spain, including regulars, volunteers and recruits. The Santiago campaign, was that the men were seven days without tents. That makes an old veteran of the civil war laugh. Many of them will tell you they were without tents for months, and the only tent most of them ever had was a piece of cloth four feet square, two of which put together made a shelter for two men, with their heads and feet protruding at each end. I suppose the suffering, death and disaster were greater than the number of men enlisted in that war than in the recent war. But the newspapers did not magnify and exaggerate those events as they do now. It may have been that the demand for sensation was satisfied and great numbers of the men were sent to the front.

Uncle Sam will not be content to oc-

cupy third place in this list, and he will step up a notch—or possibly two notches.

Our boys of the Seventh did not get to the front, to be sure, but they appear to have assaulted the citadel of feminine hearts in San Francisco, if we may believe the reports that come from the bay city.

According to Chauncey Depew, Teddy Roosevelt is "full of initiative." When the cruel war is over in New York Van Wyck will be prepared to testify that the gallant colonel is also full of finale.

It should surprise no one that a plot against the government has been discovered in Paris. The formation of plots in the regular vocation of a considerable number of the people of France.

The New York Times has reduced its price to 1 cent a copy in order to increase its circulation. A drop of another cent would doubtless have increased its circulation still more.

Next Monday at noon Old Glory will be set flying over San Juan, and the colors will never come down so long as there is a flag flying the sky above this troubous old world.

Hon. William Hornblower, who has long remained in innocuous obscurity, has recalled a brief episode in American history by blowing his horn for Croker's man, Van Wyck.

It appears quite clear that Spain was let off before the drubbing was thoroughly finished. If she insists upon an encore there will be nobody left to call for a second one.

Emperor William is moving along toward the Holy Land, but so far he doesn't appear to have made a single one of those speeches for which he is so justly famous.

Our great President had a magnificent reception at Omaha, and all along the line of travel, both westbound and eastbound, but no greater than he deserved.

Gov. Tanner is directly responsible for the death of every man killed at Virden. It is unfortunate that he cannot be punished for murder, as he deserves to be.

An Indiana man has just married his mother-in-law. There are brave men kicking up the dust along the paths of peace, as well as war, if you only knew it.

It is questionable whether a good stable government will ever be established in Cuba unless Dr. Huldekop, the noted veterinarian, is sent there.

It is lucky for us, perhaps, that the Chippewas did not break out with Spain.

"Had this occurred, the dons would have believed that some of the predictions of the Spanish press, made early in the war, that the red man would rise up and assist the enemy in the devastation of New York and Boston, were surely about to be realized.

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THE WEATHER YESTERDAY.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Oct. 14.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecast Official.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.91; at 5 p.m., 29.85. Thermometer for corresponding hours showed 62 deg. and 62 deg. Relative humidity, 50%. Wind, 5 mph. Temperature, 50 deg. Rainfall for season, .02 of an inch. Barometer reduced to sea-level.

DRY BULB TEMPERATURE.
Los Angeles 53 San Francisco 54
San Diego 56 Portland 54

Weather Conditions.—The barometer is highest in the Missouri Valley, and lowest in the Colorado River section of Montana. An area of low pressure is in Southern California and southwestern Arizona. The barometer has fallen rapidly throughout the section west of the Missouri River to the Pacific Coast, except a slight rise in northern Texas. The temperature has shown a marked rise in all sections, excepting a slight fall in the Sacramento Valley, the Pacific Coast south of San Francisco, extending to San Diego. Light rain has fallen in Washington, Oregon and Northern California.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair tonight and Saturday.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 14.—For Southern California: Partly cloudy, somewhat threatening in north portion Saturday; fresh west winds; cooler.

ALL ALONG THE LINE.

The return of the Seventh Regiment and the departure of Battery D for Manila come within two days of being a "singular coincidence."

Hereafter we shall miss those announcements that the Seventh Regiment is coming home "next week," which have been received with such regularity for several weeks past.

It must be highly gratifying to the people who do business on South Broadway to know that the rippling up of that street must come to an end some time.

It is a hopeful indication of the mining industry in Southern California when the Rothschilds send representatives to this section to investigate mining propositions and especially so when their representatives express themselves as pleased with the prospect.

The Anabaptist Gazette and the Plain Dealer of the same place, having filled their inkstands with chile sauce, sulphuric acid and other fiery ingredients, are squirtting the stuff at each other in a manner which threatens to make it necessary for the bystanders to call the police.

Los Angeles is not the only city in Southern California to be made happy by the return of the volunteers of the Seventh Regiment. Royal welcomes will be given them in Pasadena, Pomona, Riverside, San Bernardino, Santa Ana, San Diego and other towns which have waited long and anxiously for the home-coming of their boys.

Some of the Arizona Rough Riders are receiving unexpected benefits incidental to their service in the army. A. P. Wright of Yuma, who carried the regiment's colors all through the campaign, and was the first man in the army to hoist the flag in Cuba, formed the acquaintance of a wealthy New Yorker while in the army, and as a result has secured a lucrative position with a New York syndicate which will conduct a business enterprise in Cuba.

A tramp who had stolen a set of harness at Patton, San Bernardino county, bled to death from a bullet wound inflicted by a member of a constable's posse when he refused to stop on being ordered to do so. Death is a severe penalty for larceny, but no one ought to blame the man who fired the shot. The tramp had once before escaped the officers and he was given warning when called upon to stop. He chose to take the chance of dodging the bullet and lost. It was the penalty of defiance to officers of the law added to defiance of the law itself.

Mirabelle Waives a Jury.
Charles Mirabelle, the festive plumber who is alleged to have made love to Maria Vorhoeven by caressing her with cobblestones, changed his mind yesterday about having a trial on the charge of attempted murder. Bank, the ex-kid of "Little Fares," and another friend have interested themselves in Mirabelle's case, and called on Justice Owens yesterday to see if he could not have a more speedy trial than a week hence. When it was explained to him that it required time to have a trial, he told the officers to advise Mirabelle to waive the jury, which he did, and the case was then set down for 2:30 o'clock today. Mirabelle denies that he struck the Vorhoeven woman with stones. He alleged that his arrest is all a mistake, and that the man who had the difficulty with the woman got away.

An Obnoxious Rooster.
An irate citizen called at the Police Station early yesterday morning to ask the police to suppress a nuisance in the form of a crowing cock. He declared that the rooster disturbed his slumber every morning, and he could stand it no longer. The owner of the fowl refused to gag him or chop off his head, and the impudent citizen thought it time for the police to take a hand in the matter. The officers were all too busy receiving the returning soldier boys to pay heed to the citizen's complaint. He left the station muttering that he did not see why Charles should not delegate one of the colored members of the force to remove the obnoxious bird. He wanted to know what colored policemen were good for, if not to suppress crowing fowls.

Justice Courts Closed.

There was no session of the Police Court yesterday, because there were no cases to be heard, the police not having made a single arrest in twenty-four hours. A few other cases were reset by Justice Owens, so as to afford him an opportunity to help to welcome the Seventh Regiment home. Justice Morrison has not tried a case for several days. The week has been an exceedingly quiet one in police circles. The few justice cases have had little to do beyond the hearing of a few police cases. There would appear to be plenty of time now to hear the Massey-Beblesheimer shoplifting cases, which have been hanging fire for nearly a year, but they have as yet no place on the calendar.

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After leaving Unalaska Harbor on the way down from St. Michaels, the little British steamer Brixham, on which Mr. Moffatt was taking passage, was overtaken by a cyclone which threatened to send her to the bottom. Moffatt says in all his days he never saw such another storm. The noise made by the wind resembled the sound of a train of cars crossing a railway bridge, and for hours the eighty passengers on the little steamer expected momentarily to be sent to Davy Jones's locker. Passengers and crew kept cool, however, and the staunch little craft weathered the storm.

The remainder of Mr. Moffatt's party are going into winter quarters on the bank of the Yukon opposite Dawson City. They are well provided with all the necessities of life, and expect to resume prospecting next spring.

George Gray, Ed Crew and Frank Moore, former employees of the Los Angeles Transfer Company, were also prospecting on Los Angeles Creek during the summer, and will winter opposite Dawson. Mrs. Crane, the Los Angeles woman, who went to the Klondike with a newspaper correspondent and pitcher boy, is still opposite Dawson, and expects to spend the winter there. Mr. Moffatt pronounces it a healthy camp.

The Moffatt party traveled down the Yukon from the lakes to Dawson in January, with engineer Ed Gilmore and party. From Los Angeles \$1,000 and his partners bought a small bush claim for \$4,000, out of which they took about \$14,000 in gold. They are about one hundred Los Angeles men who have made more than their expenses since the time of their arrival on Bonanza Creek and adjacent gulches where abouts most of those who have gone to Alaska or the British Northwest Territory, have been living off their packs and have no prospects ahead. Mr. Moffatt says not more than about two hundred claims out of the many thousand he has yielded rich returns. There have been practically no strikes of any consequence, excepting those in the immediate vicinity of Dawson, which started the Klondike craze.

"Are you going back?" was asked of Mr. Moffatt.

"No, unless I hear encouraging reports from my partners next spring," he said.

"How did the Klondike climate suit you?"

"The cold weather was all right, it is easy to stand 55 or 40 deg. below zero up there, but the summer heat very hot, and the sun very numerous and exceedingly venomous."

The worst torments of all are the small gnats, "can't see 'em" the Indians call them, which bore in your flesh and create ugly sores.

Mr. Moffatt exhibited his hands, which were full of blue marks that resulted from gnat bites. He said indeed it was very painful among the miners during the summer on account of the long hours of sunshine. Many strong men were suffering for want of sleep.

When Mr. Moffatt resigned from the detective force his fellow-officers presented him a very fine Remington rifle, with which he expected to do some shooting and the most popular among the miners during the summer on account of the wilds of Alaska and British America. Three of these noble animals were bagged by members of the Moffatt party, but he very modestly disclaims the honor of having brought any of them down himself, although he is a good shot with a rifle and has killed considerable big game in his time. Moffatt says his party lived on beans, meat, a good part of the time they were prospecting. He considers it better than beef and superior to most wild meats.

But despite his diet of mouse meat, Moffatt has lost about forty pounds of flesh. He is thinner than he has been in years, but since getting the malaria out of his system, he says he is feeling well.

After all the experience you have had, Mr. Moffatt, would you like to make the trip to the Klondike again?"

To this query the returned Klondiker replied that he felt like the tourist at Montreal who nearly had the life scared out of him by going down a real Canadian toboggan slide. After arriving at the bottom safely and wiping the cold drops of sweat from his brow, the tourist bravely remarked:

"I would not have missed that ride for \$100."

"I'll give you another ride for 10 cents," chipped in a lively urchin who had a toboggan to rent.

"No, thank you, sonny, I would not slide down that gold-dusted hill again for \$100."

Flynn's Child Injured.

The infant daughter of M. J. Flynn, proprietor of the Mondavon Gardens, was hurt yesterday about noon by the upsetting of a buggy in front of the People's Store. The child had been left alone in the buggy while the horse was hatched, and was amusing itself with a toy balloon. The horse, getting a kick from the balloon, became frightened, and when around. Deaf Constable Tom Quinn caught the reins before the animal could escape, and threw it to the pavement. The buggy was upset and the child was bruised and scratched about the face, but was not seriously injured.

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THE RETURN OF THE SEVENTH.



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After six months of garrison duty on the wind-swept hills of San Francisco, the Southern California soldiers yesterday came back to their homes. Thirty days will elapse before the red tape and sealing-wax of mustering-out is finished, but as far as drill and guard duty, camp life and regimental discipline are concerned, the end has come. As it passed along the streets of the city yesterday afternoon, the regiment stepped from soldiers life straight into the pages of history.

A LONG WAIT.

The wait before the specials came was an interminable one. First the Red Cross ladies had to wait a month, a month made up of postponement after postponement, and when the great day finally came, the specials were delayed longer than had been expected. The first news was that they would come at 9:30; then it was 10:45; then it was 11:55, and when the hour struck finally 12:23.

THE PARADE.

The sight of the long column of

vegetables. There were flowers in profusion everywhere, at least a man's plate was a boutonniere, and a little box of candy, appropriately inscribed. The boys carried away the flowers with them, fastening them to their hats, crowning the muzzles of their rifles with button-hole bouquets and thumbing bouquets in their cartridge belts.

The luncheon over, the companies were marched out into the open and an opportunity afforded the volunteers to greet their friends. Then the call was sounded for attention and the companies fell in for their march through the city, and the review in honor of Gen. C. F. A. Last.

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relatives, present and prospective, were there in force, tearfully happy, fatigued, drowsy, the young soldiers with affection. The volunteers were overflowing with delight at being restored to the blessings of Southern California, and all went merry as the goose hangs high.

After the review and accounted soldiers from the armory and accounted soldiers

About 5 o'clock the work began of issuing the furlough papers. As the documents were given to the companies the men were told to take possession of their own belongings, stored in their knapsacks, and then the soldiers were dismissed, scattering for

the same as if the regiment had appeared at the park.

THE JOURNEY HOME.

Farewell Luncheon Served by San Francisco Red Cross.

To move a regiment from San Francisco to Los Angeles is a good deal of an undertaking, but twenty-four hours preparation sufficed.

Wednesday morning the lines at the Presidio were closed to all members of the regiment until 5 o'clock in the afternoon, and a provost guard was sent to town to "round up" all stragglers in order to have everyone present to pack his personal effects for shipment. After the completion of the task, messes were turned out at 8 a.m. Many remained in for the night. Those who came in before reveille were not challenged, as all prisoners in confinement had been released and no new ones were desired.

the different companies. He instructed them to return to the Armory on November 12 to be mustered out of the service.

Col. Berry used the same language to every company. In part he said: "I do not know that it is necessary for me to address you men in this manner, for what I am about to say cannot be given to you through the newspapers, for the general report of what the press has accused me of saying is absolutely false and misquoted. To you I have looked for strength and support. We leave the service more honorably than the one who gains the inspiration of an attack on us. We are those who have trudged along without the inspiration, but eager to respond, but while no call came our duty was performed with a grace which becomes a true hero. I have always had the utmost confidence in you and respect for you, and as you depart for your homes my parting wish



WHO WOULDNT BE A SOLDIER?



THE RED CROSS NURSES WAITING IN THE RIVER STATION THE ARRIVAL OF THE SOLDIER BOYS.

soldierly men, as the Seventh marched through the streets of the city, was an inspiring moment of spectacle. The sides of a crowd of urchins on a heap of trash. Many followed the example of one young girl in a fluffy gown of white, with blue ribbons, who gave a sigh of weariness and sat right down on the ground in the shade of a building. The bold cavalry dashed back and forth in frantic endeavor to restrain the crowd. They succeeded admirably until the regiment arrived, then the crowd surged in, and despite all that the troopers and sixty policemen could do, they swamped the exterior of the station, and only with difficulty were barred from the interior.

THE SPREAD.

The luncheon was a great success. There was plenty for all, of the most toothsome kind, and the soldiers ate as if it were the first square meal

their furloughs, or in the case of the out-of-town companies, marched to the railroad depots, to take the trains to their home towns, where elaborate receptions awaited them. In a few minutes the streets were alive with a shivering blue-coated men, hastening in every direction. Soft-hearted spectators commiserated the Santa Ana and San Diego men on being obliged to spend the night sleeping on bare floors, but the volunteers, more than satisfied with the luxury of having a roof over their heads and a dry board floor underneath them, laughed at the thought of considering such accommodations a hardship and declared they preferred boards to soldierly bearing.

It was plainly evident, from the weight of the possessions with which the men were laden, that the regiment was returning from camp life and not from active service in the field. Every man had sixty pounds of luggage strapped to his back, roll of blankets and a knapsack stuffed to capacity proportions. The heavy marching equipment was in comparison to the most spectacular showing, but nevertheless the regiment presented a fine appearance.

The route was from the depot through Sonoratown to the Plaza, along North Main street, Spring street, and south on Spring past the point of review at Seventh street, and thence to the Seventh Regiment Armory.

A squadron of police led the way. Gen. C. F. A. Last and the brigade staff followed, with the Signal Corps, Capt. D. C. A. G. F. of the National Guard marching behind. Then came the regiment, in command of Col. John R. Berry, with the colonel and his staff mounted and riding at the head, and the following and remaining companies marching after:

Co. A, San Francisco; Co. B, San Diego; Co. C, Los Angeles; Co. D, Pomona; Co. E, Santa Paula; Co. F, Los Angeles; Co. G, Redlands; Co. H, Ventura; Co. I, Pasadena; Co. K, San Bernardino; Co. L, Santa Ana; Co. M, Riverside.

Extremely efficient work was done yesterday in caring for the sick under the direction of Mrs. Carrie S. Green, financial secretary of the Red Cross, and the regimental surgeon. A dispensary had been erected, floored with canvas, well ventilated and supplied with cots and ample stores of delicacies for the sick. Here the sick were cared for with trained skills. Mrs. Mary E. Threlkeld, for three years during the civil war, an army nurse, was in charge. Dr. Elizabeth A. Follansbee spent the entire day there, and, aided by Dr. Anton and two trained nurses—Miss Ida Helfrich and Miss Adeline M. Lillie—and by Mrs. Threlkeld's corps of assistants, tended all the medical attention required.

Several soldiers whose condition was alarming were taken off the train. Charles Bullard of Co. A, the brother of Dr. Bullard, was found to be in the gripes of typhoid fever, and he was immediately taken home. Private McGroan of Santa Ana also suffering from typhoid, was sent to his home on the afternoon train. Miss Helfrich, the trained nurse, accompanied him. Several sick soldiers were sent to private homes, and those who did not remain there, and scraped acquaintance with the boys. Mothers, wives and other

he dispatched a waiter to the source of supplies with orders to fetch a pitcher of cream for Col. Berry. But the waiter didn't get the cream. Instead of cream the waiter carried back to Col. Berry a cold pitcher of water.

"The colonel wanted a pitcher of cream," he said. "Well, he can't have it. Everyone is treated alike here, and you tell the colonel that if he isn't satisfied with the fare that is good enough for the men, he can go to town for it."

BERRY'S VACILLATION.

Facts About the Way in Which the People Were Fooled.

A month ago when it became reasonably certain that the regiment would be returned to Los Angeles, Col. Berry suggested to brigade officers here that a public review be held upon the arrival of the troops. Capt. Baker, of the First Brigade staff discussed the matter with Col. Berry, and it was agreed, upon Capt. Baker's suggestion, that the review should be at Agricultural Park where there is room for evolutions and for spectators.

Last Wednesday Capt. Baker communicated with Col. Berry by telephone, and Berry finally said that he had consulted with his officers and that the regiment would march through the city and give an exhibition drill at the park. Upon the strength of this assurance, Capt. Baker and the Agricultural Fair officials made public announcement of the programme, stating that half the day's gate receipts would be given to the Red Cross, Gail Ferguson and Seventh Regiment funds.

On Thursday, Berry telegraphed that the review would be given in the park, and the Agricultural Fair officials, learning of this, telegraphed to Capt. Baker and Maj. Dockweiler to go to Saugus to meet the trains. They consulted there with Col. Berry, who again said that the programme should be kept in detail. He was asked for two more cars on each special train to carry the men from the Arcade to the park, and the Southern Pacific granted his request and made all arrangements to satisfy him.

Again at 10 a.m. Saturday, Col. Berry decided that the drill should be given at the park if it took until midnight. The troops started from River Station with the understanding that they were to march to the Arcade and board the train at 8 o'clock yesterday.

The escort turned into Fifth street and then an orderly rode ahead and notified the brigade commander that Col. Berry had decided not to have the drill. At 11 p.m. the gate was given for the sudden change of purpose.

Capt. Baker and the fair officers acted in good faith and in reliance on Col. Berry's numerous and positive assurances, and they are not responsible for the vacillation of the public. A part of yesterday's gate receipts will be turned over to the Red Cross just

is that God in heaven may bless and keep you all."

Upon the conclusion of each address cheers for Col. Berry and the company officers were given. In Capt. Lang Pomeroy arose and on behalf of the men of Co. C stated that when he called upon Senator Perkins with their representatives from the regiment, the Senator told him that Col. Berry had led him to believe that the purpose of the command preferred going to Manila to being mustered out. Col. Berry's reply to Pomeroy's remarks was that when he did say that he was not aware of the sudden change of sentiment, for several weeks had passed since the event. The incident caused a ripple of excitement, for it is a breach of military etiquette for an enlisted man to question his commanding officer, but the corporal had support, for when the cheer was given, many refused and others hissed.

TASSING OF THE REGIMENT.

Through surging crowds, 'mid cheer of cheers,

'Mid joy and smiles and happy tears,

'Mid music's thrill and trumpet call,

There sweethearts scattered flowers for all,

There marched the gallant regiment.

With heads erect and faces brown,

The Nation's helmet for a crown;

With gun-and knapsack girded high,

Ready for honor's cause to die,

They marched the rugged regiment.

They started forth, a nation's shield,

For duty on the battlefield.

Today they're given full release.

Because the Nation's now at peace.

Thrice welcome, passing regiment!

H. H. F.

Ten-thousand-dollar Blaze.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 14.—A fire which started in M. O'Brien's iron foundry, on the corner of Mission and



A LITTLE REFRESHMENT ON THE SIDE.

The companies turned in every strap and bit of government property, then awaited the arrival of their colonel.

Toward evening, Col. Berry entered upon his task. Addressing each company separately, assembled in squad room, he addressed to himself and himself, "The criticism which he said the press had heaped upon him. With a touch of pathos he said good by to

and water.



HOME AGAIN.

The more reason why it should be right on the general proposition, when it was a question of tents and hardtack. The volunteers evidently looked at it that way, and they greeted the first sight of Los Angeles with a delight that was without qualification.

It was a pleasing sight that the soldiers saw. The Station was abuzz with activity, and the pavilion of poppies, mums and palm leaves that stretched along the east side of the building spoke promise of bodily refreshment, housed in a hollow square about the

they had enjoyed for a long time. The service was so limited that there was considerable confusion in seating the men, but every soldier had his turn at a place especially prepared for him, and there was no "second table." Officers and men fared alike, the officers eating in a room which was also occupied by enlisted men.

The tables were decked in exceedingly tempting appearance—before the army descended upon them. They were loaded down with meats, salads, sandwiches, bread, cakes, pickles, cheese, fruit and

THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

HIS KICK STUCK.

STORM WATER ON FURREY'S PREMISES TO BE CUT OFF.

Improvements on Boyle Avenue Will Cost About Seven Thousand and Seven Dollars.

HEALING BY MAGNETIC POWER.

AUGUST KOWALSKEY INVOLVED IN A TANGLE OF TROUBLE.

Will of E. R. Coffman, the Rivera Walnut-grower—Renewal of the Workman Mortgage—Brown Divorce Granted.

The Board of Public Works at its meeting yesterday considered the petition of W. C. Furrey, a property owner on West Seventh street. His prayer was that the storm water pipe on his premises be carried on to someone else's premises—at any rate, taken from his own. The board agreed to this providing, however, Mr. Furrey would stand half of the cost of the work, which is estimated, to be \$400. Mr. Furrey would not consent to the proposition, but the board concluded that as the water pipe was a nuisance to the petitioner it would be so to others, so it was recommended that the Council instruct the Superintendent of Streets to cut off the water on Mr. Furrey's property.

The City Engineer has completed the plans and specifications for the proposed improvements on Boyle avenue, from Fifth street to Stephen street. The estimated cost is between \$6500 and \$7000, of which the city will pay about \$1100 by reason of its owning the frontage along Hollenbeck Park where there is a fall of forty feet that will have to be extended to sixty feet, beside necessitating the lengthening of the drain leading to the lake in proportion. The Council will probably order the City Clerk to advertise for bids for the work at the regular meeting next Monday when the City Engineer's plans will be submitted for approval.

The Auditor yesterday checked the financial reports of the various city committees and found them to compare with the money turned in to the City Treasurer, a total of more than \$30,000. The inquiry by Justice Young yesterday into the merits of a suit brought by O. K. Fullam against Mrs. C. Lyman, the whilom leader of the Harmonic Society, was of considerable amusement to the public gathered in the Township Court. The lady desired to offset several monetary advances by a claim for certain alleged remedial or mental treatments, by which it was argued Mr. Fullam had been much benefited.

August Kowalskey has been crowding much experience into the past week. He was arrested for disturbing the peace of his son-in-law, on the evening of the same day he awoke from his wagon and badly bruised was served with papers in the divorce suit instituted by his wife yesterday, and later limped into court and was tried on the charge upon which he was arrested on the first instance.

AT THE CITY HALL.

STORM-PIPE NUISANCE.

W.C. FURREY DIDN'T WANT STORM WATER ON HIS PROPERTY.

Asked to Have it Carried Onward, Will Probably Be Closed Altogether—Contemplated Improvements on Boyle Avenue to Cost About Seven Thousand Dollars.

The Board of Public Works at its meeting yesterday recommended that the Street Superintendent be instructed to shut off the storm water which flows across the property of W. C. Furrey on West Seventh street. Mr. Furrey petitioned the Council some weeks ago to make provision to have the water carried beyond his premises, as he feared that harm might result to his property during the rainy season if relief of this nature were not given him.

The board had the matter under advisement at several meetings, and yesterday they proposed to Furrey that they, or rather, the city, would stand half the cost of continuing the water if he would stand the other half. The cost, it was suggested, would be \$400 and they heard this he spurned the proposition.

Upon second thought, the board concluded that the pipe which conducts the water to Furrey's premises leads from private property, and if continued would merely move nuisance in one place to another locality, so they decided to leave the pipe alone.

The petition of James H. Blanchard was granted, and the City Engineer was instructed to define the north line of Second street, between Figueroa street and Fremont avenue, in accordance with the petition.

The petition of C. L. Etchells and others asking that a crosswalk be constructed across Los Angeles street on the north side of Twelfth street was referred to the Superintendent of Streets.

The board recommended that the petition of R. J. Anderson, as referred to the City Engineer, with instructions to report an ordinance in connection with the graveling of Hunter street between Mateo street and Santa Fe avenue, in accordance with the petition.

In the matter of the petition of W. J. Patterson and others, asking that Rowland street, from Magnolia avenue to Alois, be graded, graveled, sidewalked and sewerred, under the bond act, it is recommended that the same be referred to the City Engineer for investigation.

It was recommended that the petition of Mr. O'Brien and others be referred to the City Engineer, with instructions that he furnish the City Attorney with a copy of the affidavit of Mr. Furrey in the rear of block 2, Buena Vista tract, extending from lot 1 to lot 19, inclusive, the alley to run through city property, and that the City Attorney be instructed to present an ordinance providing for the dedication of the land for alley purposes.

BOYLE-AVENUE IMPROVEMENTS.

To Cost Property-owners and City About Seven Thousand Dollars.

So soon as the Council approves the plans drawn under the direction of George King of the City Engineer's office, work will be commenced on the for-some-time-contemplated improvement of Boyle avenue and Hollenbeck Park. The property owners along this avenue, from Fifth street to Stephen street, petitioned the Council some

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months ago to have the street graveled, curbed and paved, and after a period of some days the matter was given into the hands of the City Engineer for his estimate of the cost of the work and the plan of it. Now that this is disposed of the Council probably orients the work proceeded with, after bids have been advertised for the successful bidder announced.

The work on the whole will cost between \$6500 and \$7000. Of this sum the city will have to pay about \$1100, subsequently it will cover the frontage along Hollenbeck Park. It was necessary to change the grade of Boyle avenue, and to widen the fill along the property alligning the park. The park is now only forty feet wide, but to complete the road to the west, it will be widened ten feet on either side, and the drain, running into Hollenbeck Park Lake, lengthened accordingly.

The plans and specifications of the City Engineer in this work are very clear and definite, and to the credit of the Auditor.

The draughts are verl-colored, and the tints and hues cause it to resemble the map of a county rather than the plans of an engineer.

Receipts for September.

City Auditor Nichols has checked receipts for September of the various offices receiving fees, fines and licenses, and finds that the amounts have been duly deposited with the Treasurer. These receipts aggregate \$30,321.66.

Wants Further Time.

A. M. Austin has filed a petition with the City Clerk asking the Council for an extension of twenty days to complete some work on Figueroa street between Pico and Sixth street.

A Final Inspection.

Street Superintendent Drain will make the final inspection of the street improvements on Howard street, from Aliso to Macy streets, at 9 o'clock Monday morning.

PATIENTS AS VAMPIRES.**THE FEBLEE PREYING UPON THE STRENGTH OF STRONGER FOLK.**

Mrs. C. Lyman, Late Pastor of the Harmonic Spiritualists, Fails to Establish Her Claim for Magnetic and Mental Healing.

Some of the modes and methods adopted and followed by "magnetic and mental healers" were subjected to judicial investigation yesterday, in the suit brought by O. K. Fullam against Mrs. C. Lyman to recover \$200.

The plaintiff is quite an elderly woman, and like a "card," stooped and pallid from ill health.

The defendant, on the other hand, was round of form, with a very florid complexion, and the very picture of health and strength. It was made to appear that Mrs. Lyman was brought from Chicago by the Harmonic Society of Spiritualists, and officiated as "pastor" for five months, until just June. Her salary was not paid, however, and when the present suit was begun this outstanding balance was garnished—or rather an attempt was made to garnish it, for it developed that she had been assigned myself, judgment from the court on the instrument to Dr. von Kanstor. The doctor appeared in court to champion the cause of Mrs. Lyman, and assisted Attorney Gottschalk in defending the case. He is affected with an uncontrollable growth of hair, and in his sober moments made life a misery to his wife and son. On one occasion the wife was chased by her irate husband with a shotgun, and

Mr. Griffith became very angry when the shortcomings of the society of which he is secretary were thus stated, and he wanted to show to the court that he was not responsible for the odd 50 cents.

Opposing counsel didn't care a whoop for the society and said so, and whether it was sound financially or rotten, he contended, had nothing to do with the case upon trial. Each attorney called at the other, and a moment later the court was quite an enjoyable time. Justice Young added to the general hilarity by remanding counsel on either side that they were making an exhibition of themselves.

Mrs. Lyman was retired and Mr. Russell was called by the defendant as a witness. He merely stated that he had heard Mrs. Lyman tell the plaintiff that he was drawing her strength from her so that she could not stand it. An incredulous crowd of people in the courtroom then evidently prompted the witness to add that he knew it could be done, as he was in the business of magnetic healing himself, and knew that Mrs. Lyman had power of that kind.

The plaintiff was called to testify for the defense, a cog slipped somewhere, for he stated that he had been on the board of the Harmonials and knew that Mrs. Lyman had been engaged constantly, but that he had never seen her. In certain of the people in the courtroom this evidently prompted the witness to add that he knew it could be done, as he was in the business of magnetic healing himself.

That ended the case practically, when Justice Young incidentally remarked that Mrs. Lyman held no contract for occult administrations to the plaintiff. Dr. Von Kanstor arose to defend his Honor that magnetic healer never have contracts with patients, but let go on the magnetic forces upon payments being made in advance, or on the running-account basis. The court thought this might be unfortunate at times for such giddy persons, as in his court magnetic healers had to fall in line with other less fortunate individuals and show a contract in seeking to establish a claim for services. Justice Young thereupon gave judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$152.30.

The plaintiff made a very simple statement of alleged facts regarding himself, advised to the defendant that he had no money, and when the witness stood to controvert what he had said. With a volubility that took away the breath of her counsel she told of the spirit forces with which she endowed, and which she said had been given to her by her son-in-law, and the people in the courtroom then evidently prompted the witness to add that he knew it could be done, as he was in the business of magnetic healing himself.

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The fraternal field.

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THE numerous delegates from the lodges of this city and vicinity, together with a number of Grand Lodge officers, left this city Sunday for the session of the Grand Lodge, which convened at San Francisco Monday. The dedication of the home at Decoto, which occurred Wednesday, was under the auspices of the Grand Lodge.

Signet Chapter, No. 57, R.A.M., will confer the Royal Arch degree next Monday evening.

The members of San Diego Lodge, F. and A. M., paid a fraternal visit to Escondido Lodge last Friday evening, and exemplified the work of the Master Mason degree.

Hollenbeck Lodge, No. 319, will confer the Entered Apprentice degree next Tuesday evening.

Congress Lodge of Pasadena conferred the Fellowcraft degree Thursday evening.

In the election of officers in the Grand Lodge at San Francisco this week, Judge F. M. Angeloletti of San Rafael was elevated to the office of Grand Master, which makes Hon. Charles L. Patton of San Francisco next in honor of succession for that office.

California was honored at the Knights Templars' triennial conclave at Pittsburgh this week in the elevation of R. H. Lloyd of San Francisco to the highest office of Grand Commandery.

Los Angeles Chapter, No. 33, R.A.M., conferred the Mark Master degree Wednesday evening.

Los Angeles Commandery, No. 9, K.T., conferred the Order of the Temple Thursday evening.

Order of the Eastern Star.

MEMBERS of Acacia Chapter, No. 21, paid a fraternal visit to Pasadena Chapter, No. 133, last Friday evening. A number of members from Southgate Chapter, No. 133, were also present. The visitors exemplified the work in splendid form. The Pasadena Chapter will return the visit and compliment to Acacia Chapter, November 19.

Worthy Grand Patron H. D. Rose of Oakland returned last week from the session of the General Grand Chapter at Washington.

A number of the delegates from this city and vicinity to the Grand Chapter, which convenes in San Francisco next week, have already departed. The remainder will go Sunday.

At the first meeting of Acacia Chapter, No. 21, in September, Dr. J. M. Lawrence was endorsed for Grand Worthy Patron.

The Odd Fellows.

ALL arrangements have been completed for the Grand Encampment, Patriarchs Militant, which convenes at San Jose next Tuesday. On account of the late fire at the Hotel Vendome, the headquarters of the Grand Officers has been changed to the St. James.

A meeting has been called in San Francisco for the 26th inst., to arrange for a general celebration at some point in the State of the fiftieth anniversary of the institution of the order in California. The invitation has been extended generally to all branches of the order throughout the State.

Good Will Lodge, No. 322, had interesting degree work Thursday evening.

Knights of Pythias.

CIRCULARS have been sent to all the members of the local lodges by the General Membership Committee of the city asking for the co-operation of all in the efforts being made to increase the membership of the city lodges by the accession of unaffiliated members from other domes.

Quite a number of the visiting delegates of the I.O.O.F. in the city are members of the order and are hobnobbing with the K.P. people as well as the Independent Order Foresters.

C. S. Peacher, manager of the Orpheum programme, has purchased the Python Wave, the official organ of this domain.

Rathbone Sisters.

PURITY TEMPLE, No. 2, will have several candidates to ballot for, and perhaps have a number of initiations Saturday evening.

Corona Temple, No. 24, of Pomona, held a moonlight picnic at the home of Mrs. and Mr. S. Steel Wednesday evening. The grounds and interior of the residence were nicely decorated. Music, games and a picnic lunch were among the diversions. At the meeting of the Temple Saturday evening four candidates will be initiated, the work to be performed by a dredge team. The temple has tried twice a month, and also three times, but after November 1, will hold regular sessions weekly.

Knights of the Maccabees.

LOS ANGELES TENT, No. 2, received ten applications Wednesday evening, elected eight to membership, and initiated two.

The most enthusiastic representation of Maccabees ever held in Southern California, was given last Tuesday evening under the auspices of California Band, No. 6. About four hundred men and fifty women from the different tents of this city and from Pasadena assembled upon this occasion to witness the work of initiation, which was executed by the degreed Master of Pasadena Tent, No. 6. A banquet followed the affair.

The Tent is grieved at the loss by death of Judge W. A. Ryan, one of its charter members. In the death of Sir Knight W. A. Ryan, the Tent has lost a faithful and efficient worker, who will always perform his duties faithfully, who extended the hand of friendship to his brother Sir Knights. The funeral will take place Sunday at 1:30 p.m. from the usual meeting parlour of Peck Chase. The line of march will be south on Broadway to Fifth street east on Fifth to Main, then to the cathedral, where the funeral services will be held. Returning the line of march will be west on Second street to Broadway, and back to the undertaking parlour.

Native Sons of the Golden West.

IT is stated that all the parlors of the State have signed their intention to assist the Native Daughters Home, and so encouraging are the offers of assistance that the board feels that it can now go ahead with the work, and hopes to have the Home in operation by the first of next January. The first parlor which contributed was Buena Vista with \$50, followed by Alta Parlor with \$10.

Order of Chosen Friends.

RAND RECORDER S. C. WALDIS returned to his home in San Francisco Friday from his visit to this city, after the instituting of the new council, and reports the order in a good condition in Southern California.

The name of the new council re-

cently instituted at University has been changed from Bon Ton to Angels. Several new applications for membership were received this week.

Ancient Order United Workmen.

STOCKTON LODGE will celebrate its twentieth anniversary on the 28th, when Grand Master Workman Bahrs and Grand Receiver Booth will deliver addresses.

Grass Valley Lodge has made a request for a special anniversary in that vicinity, and another is also wanted in Sonoma county.

Special Deputy D. E. Saunders has been sent to work the field in Sonoma county.

Deputy Grand Master Workman Danforth will depart for this vicinity to work in the interest of the order on the 15th.

The special class of fifty candidates secured by Special Deputy W. A. Ames was initiated into the Sacramento lodge Monday evening.

Los Angeles Lodge, No. 55, initiated thirty-two members yesterday evening.

Stephen Squire of Riverside, en route home from the High Court session of the Independent Order of Foresters, was a caller on Past Grand Master Workman James Booth Friday.

Southern California, No. 191, initiated thirty-four members and received one application Thursday evening.

Magnolia Lodge, No. 34, D. of H., indulged in a debate with the Pasadena lodge in this city last evening.

Special Deputy Wells is now working in this city increasing the membership of the local lodges.

Ladies of the G.A.R.

THE members of Columbia Circle, No. 24, gave Grandma Call, one of their honored members, birthday surprise Tuesday evening. She was the recipient of many very beautiful presents, and a sumptuous banquet was served to the following guests: Mmes. Grandma Call, Anna L. Thompson, Helen J. Hough, Lydia Roller, Hormel Hill, Ingraham, Cordelia Spence, Stella Fernald, Rowena Marbie, Mary Dunning, Baker, Rannie Patterson, Maud Paff, Eva Booth, Rena Call, Jennie Call, Dotte Call, Fowble, Robinson; Messrs. Ingman, Thompson, Burns, Abbott, W. M. Pennington, Frank Stephenson, Tom Walsh, Al Gotchett, Fred Sherman and James McMeekin.

Columbia Circle, No. 24, Aid Society will be entertained by Mrs. Anna L. Thompson, on Jefferson street, Wednesday.

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RAILROAD RECORD.

MOVEMENTS OF RAILROAD MEN.

Fred Parker's Promotion—Movement of Walnuts and Oranges.

The heads of departments in the Santa Fe offices are all at their desks expecting Edward Chambers, freight agent, who is at Albuquerque. This is an event not often hit on to find nearly all of them at home.

Godfrey Holteroff, the treasurer, returned yesterday from a vacation spent in motoring in Lower California.

G. W. Nevins, the general manager, and J. J. Byrne, general passenger agent, returned yesterday from a tour of inspection to San Diego, and over the Temecula branch.

The new wifey at San Diego is preparing to sail and will be ready for the first steamer of the California and Oriental line, which will be there in about two months.

The master mechanics of the Santa Fe are holding a council in Los Angeles these days and swapping ideas.

Gen. C. W. Peacock, president of the mess mates followed his example and fortified themselves against disease by Paine's Celery Compound, and not a man of them made a day in the hospital.

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Mr. Parkes entered the services of the Santa Fe thirteen years ago, as clerk in the office of the auditor at National City. He later made traveling auditor, and so won promotion after promotion to his new position.

H. A. Venter, president of the Santa Monica Motor Company, yesterday bound for Honolulu, to sail on the Australia, which leaves San Francisco on October 22. She was booked for the 18th, but is delayed three days.

The Santa Fe yesterday took out a car to the vine crop walnuts, the fourth of the season. The car came over from Saticoy, Ventura county.

Five to eight cars of lemons and oranges a day still go out of Southern California.

There will be a large turnout of the members of the local courts at the funeral of Judge W. A. Ryan Sunday.

LEAVE HERE DELIGHTED.

Thought Los Angeles a Village.

Now Know it is a City.

The Visiting Committee from the National Educational Association left for San Francisco yesterday noon, after three days' stay here. The gentlemen make no concealment of their surprise at the facilities offered for accommodations of a large number of visitors. Two of them came here expecting to find nothing in the way of hotels and room and board, but were surprised at what they had seen. Chairman of the Reception Committee feels quite confident that Los Angeles will be recommended for the convention next July, and thinks the hard work of himself and associates will bring about this result.

THE GENEROUS DONORS.

Capt. Steere Thanks Subscribers to the Artillery Band Fund.

Secretary Zeehandelaar of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association is in receipt of the following telegram from Capt. Steere of Battery D, Heavy Artillery, which sails for Manila tomorrow.

CAMP MERRITT, San Francisco, Oct. 18, 1898.

"F. J. Zeehandelaar, secretary Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, Los Angeles, Cal.: Kindly express to generous donors fund hearty thanks of artillery. Many an otherwise tedious hour in the Philippines will be made pleasant through your efforts."

HENRY STEERE.

DEAR EDITOR: If you know of a collector or canvasser in your city or elsewhere, especially a man who has selected for subscription a sum, name, size, etc., for tailoring, or a man who can sell goods, you will confer a favor by telling him to correspond with me. I have a paper containing this notice out and mail to us, we may be able to furnish them a good position in their own and adjoining counties. American Woolen Mills Co., Chicago.

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The soldiers who did the most good were those who kept well.

There were plenty of brave men who were of great use when the time came but it was not to raise malaria and keep me well. Very truly yours,

CORPORAL JAMES O. BECKWITH.

Co. M, First Vt. Volunteer Infantry.

Secretary of War Stanton used to say that the best definition of rest is a change of occupation. That may be true for one in health, but a sick person needs to have his digestion regulated, his blood purified and his nerves strengthened. Prof. Edward Phelps found the sort of rest the sick body requires through sleep and nourishment.

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He was a native of Massachusetts, and had been in Los Angeles for the past eight years. The remains were removed to Orr & Himes, where an inquest will be held this morning.

The literature section of the Ebell met yesterday afternoon. Mrs. George Drake Ruddell, Mrs. Thomas G. Chapman, and others were present.

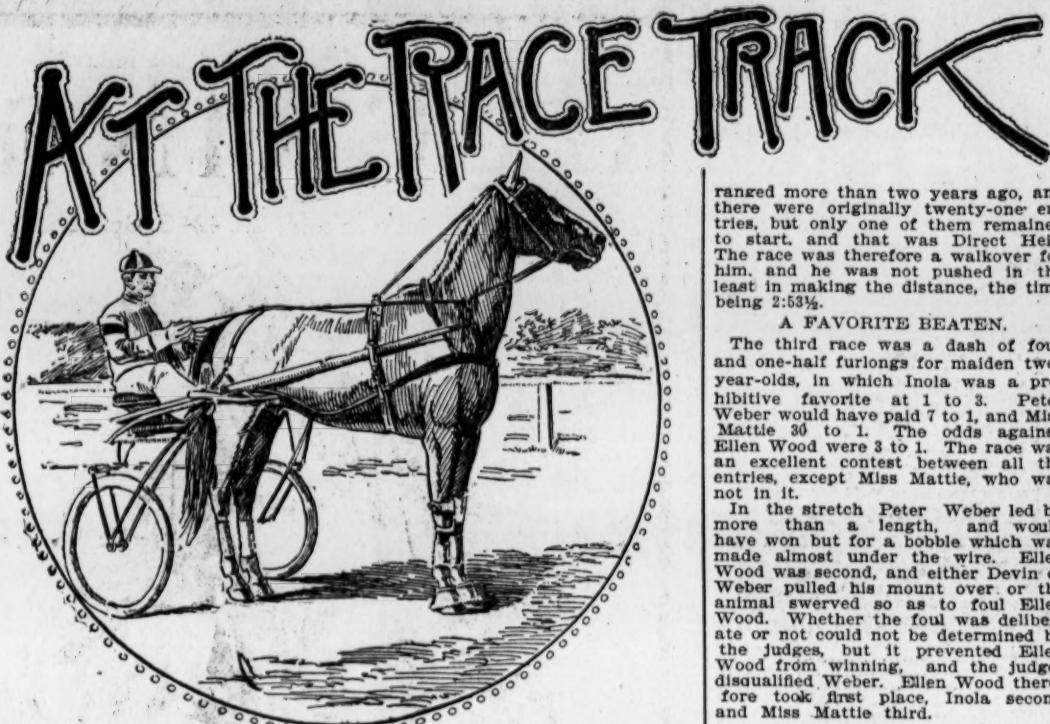
The work of Edward B. McQueen Gray, author of the "Alamo," who recently visited here, was discussed, also Conan Doyle's latest works.

Following the discussions the entire afternoon was devoted to Ralph E. Emerson. A graphic sketch of his life was read by Mrs. C. C. Gibson.

Miss Frye read a paper entitled "Emerson, as a Lecturer, Poet and Philosopher." The closing paper for the afternoon was read by Mrs. Lou V. Chapin, which was a review of "Representative Men."

Two Club Organized.

Two new clubs, under the names of Old English Writers and Nin



This will be the last day of the races for this season. It had been intended to continue the meeting for six days more but the patronage during the last ten days has been generally so poor, and there are so few horses now at the track that it has been decided to close the meeting today. The programme for today will be one of the most attractive of any day at the meeting.

The mile handicap this afternoon will bring together the best horses at the track, and a splendid race can confidently be expected. It is not often that such horses as Grady, Lo Goleta, San Veredo, Shasta Water, Rubicon and Marplot meet in this city. The handicap has been adjusted to a nicely and every starter will have some sup-

port. The junior handicap will be contested by the pick of the 2-year-olds, and the question as to which is the best youngster at the meeting will be definitely settled.

The mixed pacing and trotting race is the drawing magnet for the advance of light harness racing. The entries for today follow:

First race, mixed pacing and trotting, purse \$800: Monterey, Joe Wheeler, Little Thom, Rex Alta and Much Better.

Second race, special pace: Sam H. Lady Margaret, Riverside, Wood and George R.

Third race, Junior handicap, five and one-half furlongs: Headwater, (118); Obsidian, (115); Midway, (115); Apache, (112); Ojai, (108); Ocorona, (107); Correct, (105); Carmenta, (105); Reina de Cuba, (106); Sir Uriel, (106).

Fourth race, running, Main street and Agricultural Park Railroad handicap, one mile: Grady, (111); La Goleta, (111); Marplot, (107); San Venedo, (104); Shasta Water, (100).

Fifth race, running, selling, three-fourth of a mile: Reina de Los Angeles, (105); Kaiser Ludwig, (107); Prometeus, (103); Elsie Smith, (109); Losetta, (105); Petachri, (109); Meservero, (109); Fig Leaf, (109); Tom Smith, (109).

Despite the announcement that the Seventh Regiment would give either a drill or a parade at the Agricultural Park yesterday afternoon the attendance there was disappointing. It had been expected that the reception of the soldiers there would bring out an attendance which would make yesterday the banner day of the meeting, but instead there were but a few hundred of people present more than were there on some of the poorest days.

When the afternoon's sport opened with a small crowd it was supposed that most of the people would be at the track after the parade in the city, but as the hours passed and no average crowd arrived, the officers of the association began to make inquiries as to the reason for such a small attendance. At first it was attributed to the delay in the arrival of the trains bearing the soldiers. The announcement and the hope that the troops would be at the park at 12:30 o'clock, but when early yesterday morning it became known that they would not reach the city much before that time, the hour for the drill was postponed until 3:30 o'clock and preparations were made to receive the soldiers at that hour. The association, relying upon the assurances of Col. Berry, had expended more than \$200 to purchase refreshments for the troops and were ready to give them as warm a welcome as possible. The races were started at the usual hour, it being intended to follow the regular programme until such a time as the drill would begin and then to suspend racing during the drill.

Considering the appearance of the regiment and the care taken by the judges made special efforts to keep up as much of the race programme as possible before the hour for their arrival. The time between heats and races was reduced to the minimum, and the regular programme was rushed through, it being expected that the drill would consume at least an hour. As the programme was there would have been ample time for their drill and for finishing the day's programme before dark, and this is what the officers of the association desired.

Heat after heat and race after race were run and still there were no signs of the regiment. It had been announced early in the afternoon that the regiment had arrived at River Station and that it would certainly arrive at the track during the afternoon. The telephone wires were kept hot with messages inquireing as to the movements of the troops, and soon after the second heat in the first race a message was received that the column was moving and that the Arcade Depot would be reached within half an hour. This was taken to indicate that the troops would arrive at the park within an hour. It never entered the heads of the officials at the park that Col. Berry would break his promise to them or that there was a possibility of a failure to have a drill there. An hour passed and still no word came, and then a message was sent up town to learn the reason. The reply was surprising and disappointing. It was simply that inasmuch as the members of the regiment were greatly fatigued by their ride, it had been decided to take them to the Armory instead of to the park, and therefore there would be no drill at the track.

It was after 3 o'clock when this message was received. Hundreds of people had been waiting for hours for the arrival of the troops and they were growing impatient. They had little interest in the races and wanted to know what caused the delay. As soon as the message announcing the change in programme was received, the announcement was made to the crowd by Secretary Thorne. He expressed the great regret of the officers of the asso-

ranged more than two years ago, and there were originally twenty-one entries, but only one of them remained to start, and that was Direct Heir. The race was therefore a walkover for him, and he was not pushed in the least in making the distance, the time being 2:53.

A FAVORITE BEATEN.

The third race was a dash of four and one-half furlongs for maidens two-year-olds, in which Inola was a prohibitive favorite at 2 to 1. Peter Weber would have paid 7 to 1, and Miss Mattie 30 to 1. The odds against Ellen Wood were 3 to 1. The race was an excellent contest between all the entries, except Miss Mattie, who was not in it.

In the stretch Peter Weber led by more than a length, and would have won but for a hobble which was made almost under the wire. Ellen Wood was second, and either Devin or Weber pulled his mount over, or the others allowed so far Ellen Wood. Whether the foul was deliberate or not could not be determined by the judges, but it prevented Ellen Wood from winning, and the judges disqualified Weber. Ellen Wood therefore took first place, Inola second and Miss Mattie third.

THE SPECIAL RUN.

A special running race for a purse of \$125 over five and one-half furlongs was the fourth event of the afternoon. Daly was the favorite in the betting, at 3 to 1, and Whistle Bird was second, at 2 to 1. The others paid all the way from 9 to 15 to 1. Miss Daly got the benefit of the start and held that advantage throughout, as she was never headed and won from Whistle Bird by half a length. Palomares was third a length behind Whistle Bird.

AMASA BEATS RUBICON.

In the fifth race, a selling event, over five furlongs, Rubicon was favorite at 3 to 5. Moringa was well liked at 2 to 1, and Amasa was third choice at 1. Road Warmer, who has started in a number of races during the meeting, was posted at 20 to 1, and the performance of this horse has been quite good; he caught lots of money at these figures. Ojal would have paid 6 to 1, had his tickets been winning ones.

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FORESTERS' RECEPTION.

The Finale of the High Court Session
at Hazard's Pavilion.

The reception to the High Chief Ranger and the High Court officers of the Independent Order of Foresters at Hazard's Pavilion last evening had the effect of filling that edifice with members of the order, their families and friends, from many portions of the state, and was a fitting conclusion to one of the most successful sessions of the High Court ever held. A majority of the delegates to the High Court at Santa Barbara availed themselves of the opportunity afforded, not only to visit the city, but to attend the exercises.

"Munro Halsted's Story of Cuba," a book containing over six hundred pages, finely illustrated, given free with one prepaid annual subscription to The Times. The book is offered for sale at \$2.

First Baptist Church, No. 727 South Flower, will hold services. Rev. Joseph Smale will preach at 11 a.m., and 7:30 p.m. All welcome.

Ladies, for the next week I will give you \$7 hats at \$5, \$5 hats for \$3.50, etc. Come and see for yourselves. Dosch, No. 303 South Broadway.

The Bonnallo, No. 802 West Washington street; first-class family hotel; good location; home cooking; lowest rates.

Ladies, see the stylish black velvet hats in the Band Box window today. Your choice, \$5.00. No. 415 S. Spring street.

C. A. Sewall, M.D., rectal specialist, F. B. Ives, M.D. (of Chicago), consultant. Piles cured. 455 S. Broadway. Stoll & Thayer Co. have moved their book and stationery store to Nos. 552 and 554 S. Spring Street, Stimson Block.

Special—Finest cabinet photos reduced to \$1 and \$1.75 per dozen. Sunbeam, No. 236 South Main street.

Charles N. Crittenton will hold a two-days' meeting at Penel Hall, Oct. 19 and 20. Fourth anniversary.

If the lady who advertised lost spectacles last week will call at The Times office, she may get them back.

For Supervisor, Third Supervisor District. John Burns, representative of the Western Union telegraph office for H. O. Buckman, Tom Ryan, C. B. Constable, M. D.; John Hanlon, F. W. Bassett and Robert Effer.

E. R. Hewitt, James Stevenson has an idea yesterday afternoon that they were good liquor reservoirs, but the scheme didn't work and the hurry-up wagon got them. They will report in the Police Court today.

An alarm of fire was sent in yesterday afternoon from the corner of Macy and Anderson streets, which it proved to be a false alarm. Later another false alarm was sent from the corner of Belmont avenue and First street.

The managers of the Burbank Theater have invited the members of the Western Union telegraph office for H. O. Buckman, Tom Ryan, C. B. Constable, M. D.; John Hanlon, F. W. Bassett and Robert Effer.

Leslie R. Hewitt was admitted to practice in the United States courts yesterday by Judge Weborn, on motion of Supervisor, Third Supervisor District. John Burns, representative of the Western Union telegraph office for H. O. Buckman, Tom Ryan, C. B. Constable, M. D.; John Hanlon, F. W. Bassett and Robert Effer.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for H. O. Buckman, Tom Ryan, C. B. Constable, M. D.; John Hanlon, F. W. Bassett and Robert Effer.

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The reception was arranged by the committee of the city, formed in general executive committee, of which C. L. Wilde of Court Morris Vineyard was the chairman, A. H. S. Perkins of Court Angelino, the secretary, and E. E. Johnson of Court Occident the treasurer.

At 7:30 the officers of the High Court were escorted to the pavilion by Los Angeles Encampment, No. 17. Royal Foresters, headed by the band of the First Regiment, and were escorted to seats on the stage. Also occupying a prominent position on the stage was Dr. Acland Ormuyatekha, son of the famous Dr. Ormuyatekha, in uniform of the Royal Foresters, while in the audience were a large number of the prominent delegates to the High Court from all parts of the State.

After a promenade concert by the Ransome-Maylin Orchestra, Hon. R. N. Hale, rendered charge as chairman of the evening. Minister E. H. Hale gave a reading of "The Bugle Song" from Tennyson, responding also to a hearty encore. The Amphion Male Quartette, composed of J. E. Sisson, W. L. Frew, G. W. Ragland and C. L. Wilde, rendered "Duke of Burgundy," which was followed by High Chief Ranger G. A. McFresen with address on "The Principles and Objectives of the Independent Order of Foresters." The Athenian Quartette, composed of Mines, C. L. Wilde, J. S. Browne, E. V. Fink and T. C. Todd, in duet, rendered a legendary selection, and in solos, Mrs. T. W. Young, Lee E. Bassett gave a reading of Eugene Hale's "Debating Society." The entertainment concluded with a selection by the Amphion and Athenian quartettes, and a selection by the orchestra.

Many other diversions have been arranged for the delegates during their sojourn here, prominent among which will be tally-ho rides about the city today, while a number will visit Mt. Lowe and Alpine Tavern, and at 5 p.m. an excursion has been planned to Catalina, returning Sunday.

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The city convention of the Socialist Labor party was held last night at No. 2054 South Main street, a platform, previously prepared, was adopted, in which the proposed new city charter was condemned, and a demand made that the city go into the wholesale market of buying the leading commodities of trade, and the conveniences of life at cost, and upon the cooperative plan. Incidentally, a demand was made for a charter embodying the principles of the initiative and referendum, and providing that the city obtain control and operate all business enterprises which do not require a city franchise. The party also wants all school children clothed and furnished with school books at the expense of the general public. The establishment of a system of pensions for all sick, disabled or aged persons is also advocated.

The following ticket was nominated: Mayor, George Martin; City Clerk, Henry Hansen; City Assessor, James Orley Becker; City Treasurer, William N. Slocum; City Engineer, Ernest S. Kincaid; City Tax and License Collector, George S. Holmes; City Auditor, Charles E. Smith; Street Superintendent, D. J. Millard.

The nominations for Councilmen in the several wards will be made at a meeting to be held Tuesday evening. The nominees for members of the Board of Education will be named at the same time.

Robert Anderson, a native of Sweden, aged 37 years, and Emily Dunn, a native of Virginia, aged 34 years; both residents of Los Angeles.

DEMANDS AUDIENCE.

New Italian Minister to Peking Wants to See the Emperor. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT]

PEKING, Oct. 14.—(By Asiatic Press.) The new Italian Minister, Sig. Martini, has arrived here and demands the customary audience with the Emperor. Much interest is aroused in the part the Dowager Empress will take in the ceremony. The French Minister has strongly urged the immediate necessity of obtaining the release of the Frenchman who was captured in the hands of rebels and has threatened to use strong measures, which will include French troops crossing the frontier.

The Emperor is practically imprisoned in the island palace, which is strongly guarded. No boat is allowed to land there except with the consent of the Dowager Empress. All the decrees are now issued in the name of the Dowager Empress, the last pretense of the Emperor's power having been abolished.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Following licenses were issued yesterday from the office of the County Clerk:

Harry C. Smith, a native of Indiana, aged 29 years, and a resident of Pomona, and Ida Smith, a native of Texas, aged 22 years, were recently married at North Orange, Bernardino county.

George Ilevach, a native of Austria, aged 28 years, and Margaret Marinovich, also a native of Austria, aged 19 years, both residents of San Pedro.

Robert Anderson, a native of Sweden, aged 37 years, and Emily Dunn, a native of Virginia, aged 34 years; both residents of Los Angeles.

DEATH RECORD.

BEARDSLEY—In Pasadena, Nathaniel G. Beardsley, aged 26 years.

Funeral at Stich & Deering's parlors, Nos. 596 and 598 S. Broadway, Sunday, October 18, at 2 o'clock p.m. Friend invited to attend. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.

BOYLE—In this city, October 14. Mary F., daughter of Edward Boyle, and beloved mother of George E., also George Boyle, a native of Boston, Mass., aged 22 years, 3 months and 20 days.

BENNETT—In this city, Miss Annie Bennett, at her home, formerly of Denver, Colo.

Funeral at 8 o'clock today from the Cathedral Colorado Springs and Denver papers please see.

FRANCISCO—ANDREW W., native of Cincinnati, O., aged 72 years.

Funeral services will be held at family residence, No. 88 West Ninth street, on Sunday, October 18.

HALL—In this city, October 13, 1888, George M. Hall, a native of Kentucky, aged 68 years.

Funeral from the parlors of Robert L. Garrett & Co., 316 South Main street, Saturday at 2 p.m. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.

SHERER—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sherer, No. 123 San Pedro street, October 14, a daughter.

BIRTH RECORD.

JOHNSON—October 14, 1898, to Dr. and Mrs. S. F. Johnson, No. 129 W. Fourth street, a daughter.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

All Sir Knights of Banner Fife, No. 6, K.O.T.M., are hereby requested to be present at the funeral of our late brother, Sir Knight William A. Ryan at the undertaking parlors of Peck & Chase on Broadway, Sunday, 1:30 p.m. sharp. WM. THIELE, R. K. Los Angeles, Oct. 14, 1898.

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